

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please insert the following section heading on page 1 after the title and at line 2:

-- BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION --

Please replace the section heading on page 1 at line 3 with the following section heading:

~~INDUSTRIAL FIELD~~-- 1) Field of the Invention --

Please replace the section heading on page 1, at line 9, with the following section heading:

~~BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION~~-- 2) Description of the Related Art --

Please replace the section heading on page 4, at line 13, with the following section heading:

-- ~~PREFERRED EMBODIMENT OF THE INVENTION~~

-- DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS --

Please DELETE the section heading on page 17, at line 12: